

SYNOD OF THE MID-ATLANTIC
244rd STATED MEETING
September 13-14, 2019
Ginter Park Presbyterian Church,
3601 Seminary Avenue, Richmond, VA

DOCKET DRAFT
Ruling Elder Susanne Taylor, Moderator

THEME
“Transforming from Institutional Beings into Missional Actions”
Romans 12:1-2

Friday September 13, 2019

- 8:30 a.m. New Commissioners and Visitors Orientation Mizpah Room
- 8:30 a.m. Registration, Coffee and Conversations Fellowship Hall
- 9:15 a.m. Convening the 244th Stated Meeting Ginter Park Sanctuary**
Convening Prayer and Welcome Moderator Susanne Taylor
Acknowledgement of Whose Land We Occupy
Declaration of Quorum
Appointment of Temporary Clerk
Seating of Corresponding Members
Adoption of the Docket
Adoption of the Procedural Guide
Approval of 243nd Stated Meeting Minutes
- 9:30 a.m. A Celebration of Worship and Communion**
The Rev. Dr. J Herbert Nelson II, Stated Clerk, Office of the General Assembly
- 11:00 a.m. Break
- 11:15 a.m. Plenary One Rev. Dr. Cindy Privette**
What is the status on Raymond Byrd?
Where has the journey led you?
- 12:30 p.m. Lunch Break
- 2:00 p.m. Plenary Two Bible Study – Matthew 25 Rev. Dr. Diane Moffett**
A Vision of What it means to be a Matthew 25 Church, Synod, Presbytery or Congregations
- 3:35 p.m. Nominations Committee Report - Part I (Designated Committees)RE George Wilson

3:40 p.m. Designated Committee Meetings

- Administration Committee TE Helen Bessent Byrd Chapel
- Finance Committee TE Robbie Phillips and RE Riley Burgess . . . Mizpah Room
- Grants & Awards and Presbytery Initiatives Committees TE Cindy Privette. . . . Fellowship Hall

6:15 p.m. Break for Dinner

6:30 p.m. Dinner is Served and Recess

Saturday 14, 2019

8:00 a.m. Breakfast Fellowship Hall

8:45 a.m. Reconvene with Morning Prayer

- Announcements and Updates

8:50 a.m. Plenary Three Updates on North Carolina Disaster Recovery
 Leadership from NC Presbyteries will provide feedback and share with the Assembly how God is at work in the communities organizations, churches, presbyteries and that have joined forces to put people back in their homes and lives back on track.

9:20 a.m. Plenary Four Plans for Montgomery Emersion Experience
 A challenge during the 243rd Synod Assembly was extended to Commissioner to return home to invite their presbyteries, churches and family to take the Montgomery Emersion Experience.

9:50 a.m. Break

10:00 a.m. Plenary Four Reports from the Clerk, Committees and Commissioners

- Stated Clerk/Executive Report TE Warren Lesane, Jr
- Kate B. Reynolds Report and Minutes Omnibus Motion
- Synod Committee on Representation RE Steve Mabie
- Nominations Committee RE George Wilson
- Presbytery Initiatives and Grants and Awards. TE Cindy Privette
- Administrative Committee TE Helen Bessent Byrd
- Finance Committee RE Riley Burgess & TE Robbie Phillips
- Executive Committee RE Susanne Taylor

11:15 a.m. Closing Worship Installation of Moderator
 Rev. Dr. James Herbert Nelson II, Preacher

12:15 p.m. Adjourning Prayer

245th Synod Assembly March 13-14, 2020
 Location TBA